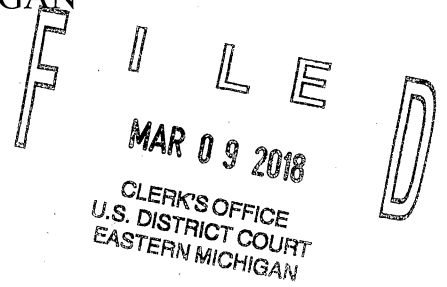


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

No. 18cr20128

Plaintiff,

Hon. JUDITH E. LEVY

vs.

VIOL: 18 U.S.C. § 2252A(g)

D-1, CHRISTIAN MAIRE,  
D-2, ARTHUR SIMPATICO,  
D-3, JONATHAN NEGRONI  
RODRIGUEZ,  
D-4, MICHAL FIGURA,  
D-5, ODELL ORTEGA,  
D-6, BRETT JONATHAN SINTA,  
D-7, CALEB YOUNG,  
D-8, DANIEL WALTON,  
D-9, WILLIAM T. PHILLIPS,

18 U.S.C. § 2251(a)  
18 U.S.C. § 2251(e)  
18 U.S.C. § 2422(b)  
18 U.S.C. § 2252A(a)(2)  
18 U.S.C. § 2252A(b)(1)  
18 U.S.C. § 2253  
18 U.S.C. § 2  
18 U.S.C. § 2252A(a)(5)(B)  
18 U.S.C. § 2252A(b)(2)

Defendants.

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### **Defendant's Acknowledgment of Indictment**

I, William Phillips, defendant in this case, hereby acknowledge that I have received a copy of the indictment before entering my plea, and that I have read it and understand its contents.

I know that if I am convicted or plead guilty, I may be sentenced as follows:

Count 1: Child Exploitation Enterprise 18 U.S.C. § 2252A(g)	20 years – life imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine, or both
Count 2: Conspiracy to Produce Child Pornography 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a); 2251(e)	15 to 30 years' imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine, or both
Count 3: Attempted Production and Production of Child Pornography 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a); 2251(e)	15 to 30 years' imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine, or both
Count 4: Online Enticement of a Minor 18 U.S.C. § 2; 2422(b)	10 years – life imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine, or both.
Count 5: Attempted Production and Production of Child Pornography 18 U.S.C. § 2251(a); 2251(e)	15 to 30 years' imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine, or both
Count 6: Online Enticement of a Minor 18 U.S.C. § 2; 2422(b)	10 years – life imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine, or both.

Count 7:

Attempted Production and Production  
of Child Pornography  
18 U.S.C. § 2251(a); 2251(e)

15 to 30 years' imprisonment,  
a \$250,000 fine, or both

Count 8:

Online Enticement of a Minor  
18 U.S.C. § 2; 2422(b)

10 years – life imprisonment,  
a \$250,000 fine, or both.

Count 9:

Conspiracy to Receive Child Pornography  
18 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(2); 2252(b)(1)

5 to 20 years' imprisonment,  
a \$250,000 fine, or both

Count 10:

Conspiracy Access with Intent to  
View Child Pornography  
18 U.S.C. § 2252A(a)(5)(B); 2252A(b)(2)

up to 20 years' imprisonment,  
a \$250,000 fine, or both.



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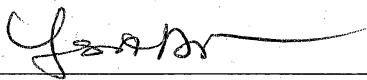
William Phillips, Defendant

### Acknowledgment of Defense Counsel

I acknowledge that I am counsel for defendant and that I have received a copy of the Standing Order for Discovery and Inspection which requires all pre-trial motions to be filed within twenty (20) days of arraignment.

Dated: February 28, 2018

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Counsel for Defendant